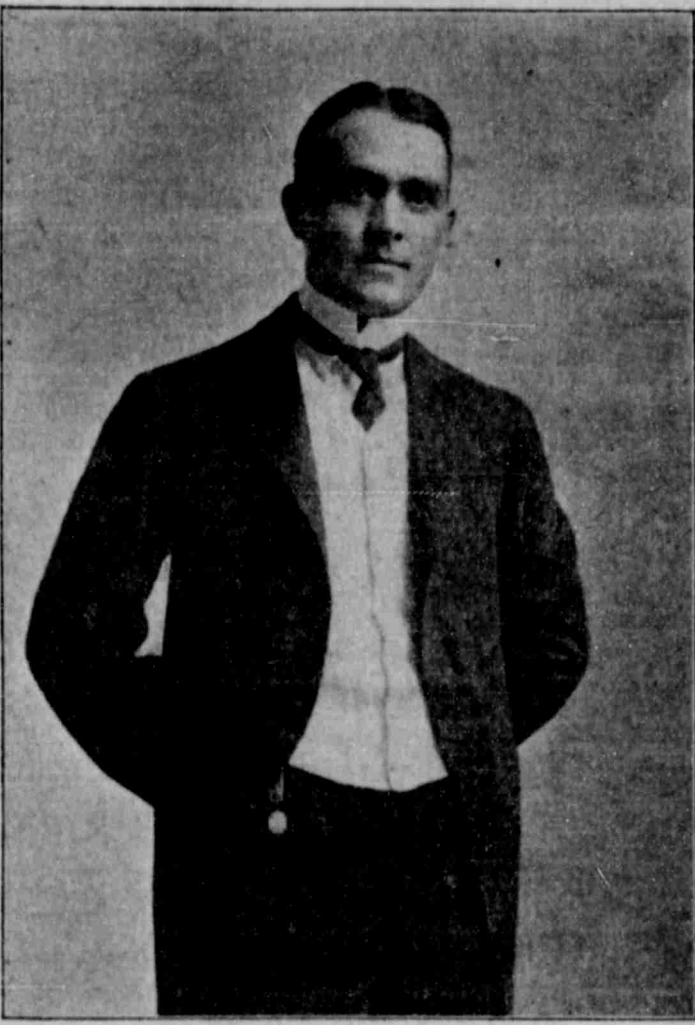


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JAMES E. HUTCHESON.

The genial and capable Cashier of the Citizens Bank of Brodhead. An experienced banker and a good friend of this paper. He is from "Sweet Owen" and is all right in everything save his politics.

## Letter From An Old Lincoln County School Teacher.

HOOD RIVER, ORE., Jan. 12.—To my many friends and relatives, I will throw the columns of the INTERIOR JOURNAL answer many letters of inquiry I have received since I immigrated to the West.

I left Kentucky accompanied by my husband, April 27, 1905. Good luck favoring us we landed in Hood River, Wasco county, Oregon, six days later. At first I thought I had landed in an immense forest. I could see evergreen trees covering the sides of mountains in all directions. Looking to the north I saw Mt. Adams, 65 miles away, with its snow capped peak towering over 12,000 feet high; to the east the broken foot hills with the Columbia river flowing between; to the south, Mt. Hood with its white cap raised 11,445 feet; to the west, Mt. Defiance with the old Columbia at its base, altogether making a very picturesque scene.

After climbing a gradual slant for about three-quarters of a mile, I came to one of the most beautiful valleys nature has produced, stretching 33 miles north and south with the magnificent stream of water called the Hood river flowing through the center.

Here in this valley as I travel along I see acres and acres of strawberries, the finest that are produced in the West; and my, it makes one's mouth water to see the orchards hanging full of big red apples that win prizes all over the United States. The gardens are equally as fine, a cabbage head weighing 25 pounds, which would be hard for you to beat in your town.

The good old berry time comes once a year, from the first of May until the last of June, then the curling smoke from the Indian wigwags can be seen in every grove and at night the stillness of the air is broken by the mournful sound of their drums. This is the busy season of the year, then comes the lull for a month or two, then comes another rush with the apple picking time.

There is scarcely any rain here from the last of March until the first of December, the winters are mild and if it snows the warm breezes from the Japan current causes it to melt in a day or two. Farming is carried on by means of irrigation. A person will have to pay from \$50 to \$400 an acre for land here in the valley or you can lease land from one to 10 years by giving part of the crops for your lease.

The schools are good and well attended. I have taught one term since I have been here. The school system is different from the Kentucky system. The teachers are not required to wait for their salaries; at the end of each school month they draw their month's salary. The teachers' wages here are much better than in the East. A common laboring man is paid from \$1.50 to \$3 a day and his expenses are about the same as in the East.

If the sportsman wants to come along, there is plenty of deer and bear in the forest. If he will only bring his dog he can catch them; for good dogs are scarce here.

I guess I had better bring my letter to a close for fear the good editor will think I am taking up too much space.

We will visit you all in the fall if my husband gets his flying machine done. Wishing all a bright and prosperous year, I remain yours truly,

MRS. ALLEN HART.

## Nothing!

One day they had a falling out And played the game of sulk and pout; And what do you think 't was all about?— Nothing!

She went to ma's and meant to stay! Which made his dinner late that day: When she returned, what did he say?— Nothing!

Although he stayed out late that night And drank a glass or two for spite, What did she do to serve him right?— Nothing!

Now ere the ending of the week, Each caught the other going to speak! What better ending is to seek?— Nothing!

Yet friends and neighbors were perplexed, And some old ladies even vexed To wait and find what happened next?— Nothing! —Puck.

## Cured His Mother of Rheumatism.

"My mother has been a sufferer for many years from rheumatism," says W. H. Howard of Husband, Pennsylvania. "At times she was unable to move at all, while at all times walking was painful. I presented her with a bottle of Chamberlain's Pain Balm and after a few applications she decided it was the most wonderful pain reliever she had ever tried, in fact, she is never without it now and is at all times able to walk. An occasional application of Pain Balm keeps away the pain that she was formerly troubled with." For sale by all druggists.

The famous pay-car of the great Carnegie steel and iron interests makes its trips every fortnight, carrying its paymaster and his eight assistants over a route of about 75 miles of railway, from Donora, Pa., to Youngstown, Ohio, paying out in that time upward of \$2,000,000, nearly all in gold coin. A well-known authority at Homestead, who is in close touch with the mill hands, says of present conditions as compared with former years: "The boys never made so much money nor have they been so prosperous as now. The increased tonnage and new machinery have made it possible for them to make more money than ever before. Everybody is happy and all is well."

## Stomach Troubles and Constipation.

"Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets are the best thing for stomach troubles and constipation I have ever sold," says J. R. Callman, a druggist of Pottsville, Mich. They are easy to take and always give satisfaction. I tell my customers to try them and if not satisfactory to come back and get their money, but have never had a complaint." For sale by all druggists.

Farmer—Is there a postal for me say in' when Cousin Liza will be here ter see us?

Postmaster's Wife (from back room)—Yaas; she'll be yer Tuesday.

## NEWS NOTES.

A Y. M. C. A. building to cost \$500,000 is to be built in Baltimore. A reward of \$1,000 is offered for the assassin of Prof. E. M. Roach, of Hickman.

John Fawcett, prominent oil handler, of Cleveland, O., dropped dead there.

The safe of the post-office at Thomaston, Ala., was blown open and \$200 was stolen.

The dormitory of Kentucky Normal College at Prestonsburg was destroyed by fire.

Near Liletown, Green county, Wash Sinker was shot and instantly killed by Mont Lile.

The Kentucky Press Association will hold its Mid Winter Meeting at Frankfort, on January 23rd.

President Roosevelt was initiated into the Improved Order of Red Men in his private office at the White House.

Harry Orchard was committed without bail at Caldwell, Idaho, on the charge of assassinating former Gov. Steunenburg.

John Baskette, one of the wealthiest farmer-capitalists of Henderson county, died suddenly as the result of an apoplectic stroke.

Cal Newton, charged with the murder of George and James Smith, father and son, in Franklin county, was given a life sentence.

Fire starting from an explosion destroyed the Carnegie Steel Company's plant at Greenville, Pa., causing a loss of between \$400,000 and \$600,000.

Robert G. Erwin, president of the Atlantic Coast Line, dropped dead in the woods while going over his vast game preserve near Saybrook, Conn.

A Southern railway train dispatcher prevented a collision near New Albany by telegraphing to a farm house, one of the occupants of which flagged both trains.

William Davis, convict electrician at the Frankfort penitentiary, was killed by coming in contact with a "live" wire which he picked up, supposing it to be "dead."

The cotton convention in New Orleans adopted the report of its committee recommending that the remainder of the cotton crop be held for 15 cents a pound.

Mrs. Mary L. McKinney, prominent society woman and church worker, of Alledo, Ill., was convicted of cruelty to her adopted daughter, Stella Grady, 15 years of age.

With liabilities at more than \$76,000 and but \$115 of personal property as assets, B. F. Talbott, a well known real estate broker of Lexington, has filed a petition in bankruptcy.

The National Exchange Bank and the Central National Bank, of Lexington, are to be consolidated and become a State bank and trust company, with a paid-up capital stock of \$600,000.

An indictment containing seven counts was returned by the Warren county grand jury against J. E. and W. J. Potter, comprising the banking firm of P. J. Potter's Sons, of Bowling Green, in connection with the failure of the bank.

The quickest conviction on record in Judge Stout's court was made at Frankfort Saturday. G. F. Jelliff was given two years on a charge of forgery and within half an hour was taken to the penitentiary. Jelliff confessed to the charge against him.

A dentist from Shoals, Ind., identified one of the suspects arrested by the Louisville police as a man who came to his office the day before the robbery at Shoals. The five alleged "yeggmen" were held to the grand jury and in default of bail are confined in jail.

A story by way of Cincinnati is that the Indiana authorities are about to be asked one more to honor a requisition for W. S. Taylor and that the fugitive will be surrendered. The authorities at Frankfort say they know nothing of any such programme.

## Chronic Constipation Cured.

One who suffers from chronic constipation is in danger of many serious ailments. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup cures chronic constipation as it aids digestion and stimulates the liver and bowels, restoring the natural action of these organs. Commence taking it to-day and you will feel better at once. Orino Laxative Fruit Syrup does not nauseate or gripe and is very pleasant to take. Refuse substitutes. Penny's Drug Store.

"When ze word to fire was given ze gr-r-rat duelist fired in the air." "Ah! Magnanimous man?" "Mais non. Hees opponent had climbed a tree."—Cleveland Leader.

CORNS CURED.—Corn Exit will positively remove corns in four days. The treatment is simple and pleasant and we absolutely guarantee to refund the money to each and every customer whose corns are not promptly removed with entire satisfaction. A bottle of this great preparation only costs 15 cents and nothing if a perfect cure is not speedily effected. G. L. Penny, druggist, Stanford, Ky.

## HUSTONVILLE.

Miss Julia Stagg has returned from a visit to friends in the capital of Casey.

Miss Maud Williams has returned from a delightful visit to friends and relatives in Lexington.

Lutes & Co. and D. C. Allen shipped a car each of assorted cattle and hogs to Cincinnati Saturday.

Rev. S. B. Lander will preach at the Prebyterian church at Hustonville next Sunday morning and evening.

Rev. G. W. Mills bought the business house occupied by Bishop & Lipps on Main Street, of Emmett McCormack, at an advanced price paid by Mr. McCormack two weeks ago.

Francis Weatherford, who returned Monday to his duty as page to Speaker Lawrence, reports his position as exceedingly pleasant and his associations all that could be desired.

Rural Route No. 1 from this place handled during the month of December 3,438 pieces of mail. No. 2 did not do quite so well as the route has not been established near so long.

F. M. Peavyhouse & Sons will make another shipment this week of five hogheads of their splendid crop of tobacco. In the lot is one hoghead of extra select leaf that is a fine silken texture. It will bring a fancy price.

The Hustonville Commercial Club will meet Thursday night at 7 o'clock at Masonic Hall. Every professional and business man in our city and community is requested to be present as matters of exceeding importance are to be presented.

The superiority of the soil of Lincoln county is evidenced again by the tobacco sales in Louisville last week from 26 Burley raising counties in the State. There were over 1,000 hogheads sold and the Lincoln county product headed the list at \$15.75, after a sharp decline of fully 3 per cent. on higher grades.

Mrs. Kate Myers, having closed quite a successful season in the millinery business, has invested a portion of her earnings in horses, cattle and hogs, which so far has been such a satisfactory investment that she will as soon as the weather permits her going, increase the number of each and may add a bunch of good sheep. The judge has no interest in the above stock, but believes the investment will pay a large per cent. to Mrs. Myers on account of gratuitous provender, against which he says nothing.

Today it is computed that there are in the United States no fewer than 70 estates that average in value \$35,000,000 each. There are ten private fortunes aggregating \$2,000,000,000—those, namely, of John D. Rockefeller, Andrew Carnegie, Marshal Field, W. K. Vanderbilt, John Jacob Astor, J. P. Morgan, Russell Sage, J. J. Hill, Senator W. A. Clark and William Rockefeller. There are 400 fortunes aggregating \$3,000,000,000, and 4,500 aggregating \$10,000,000,000. 5,000 men in this country, whose aggregate wealth is estimated at \$15,000,000,000, actually own, to say nothing of how much they control, nearly one-sixth of our entire national wealth in money, land, mines, building industries, franchises and everything else of value; which sixth, if put into gold, would give them all the yellow metal above ground in the world and leave more than \$9,000,000,000 still owing them.—Harper's Weekly.

## A Modern Miracle.

"Truly miraculous seemed the recovery of Mrs. Mollie Holt of this place," writes J. O. R. Hooper, Woodford, Tenn., "she was so wasted by coughing up puss from her lungs. Doctors declared her end so near that her family had watched by her bed-side 48 hours; when, at my urgent request Dr. King's New Discovery was given her, with the astonishing result that improvement began, and continued until she finally completely recovered, and is a healthy woman to-day." Guaranteed cure for coughs and colds. 50c and \$1 at Penny's Drug Store, Stanford, Lyne Bros., Crab Orchard. Trial bottle free.

A prize-winning hen at the Nashville Poultry Show last week sold for \$110. Johnnie—Me teacher has an awful nerve.

Father—What did she do? Johnnie—Borrowed me pencil ter give me a poor mark wid.

## The Original.

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Honey and Tar as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Honey and Tar many imitations are offered for the genuine. These worthless imitations have similar sounding names. Beware of them. The genuine Foley's Honey and Tar is in a yellow package. Ask for it and refuse any substitute. It is the best remedy for coughs and colds. Penny's Drug Store.

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8 " Brown for .....	25cts
8 " Lenox for .....	25cts
7 " Brag for .....	25cts
6 " Grand Pa for .....	25cts
6 " Ivory for .....	25cts
2 " Ark for .....	5cts
10 " Town Talk for .....	25cts
2 " Town Talk for .....	5cts

## Prepare For 1906!

COAL AND WOOD.—White Oak Cannel, East Tennessee, Jellico, B. G. Jellico, Mountain Ash Jellico, Barren Fork.

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